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REMARKS

During the interview, the Examiner indicated that the pending claims are obvious in view of claims 116, 118, 119, and 129-134 of the co-pending application U.S.S.N. 08/292,782, and that an obviousness-type double patenting rejection would be made if a terminal disclaimer is not filed.

To expedite prosecution, Applicants hereby submit a Terminal Disclaimer to avoid a potential obviousness-type double patenting rejection.

CONCLUSION

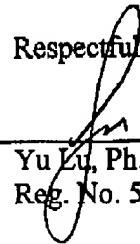
For the foregoing reasons, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the pending rejections. Applicants believe that the claims are now in condition for allowance and early notification to this effect is earnestly solicited. Any questions arising from this submission may be directed to the undersigned at (617) 951-7000.

If there are any other fees due in connection with the filing of this submission, please charge the fees to our **Deposit Account No. 18-1945**. If a fee is required for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 not accounted for above, such an extension is requested and the fee should also be charged to our Deposit account.

Respectfully Submitted,

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